Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 08 Aug 2024 until 23:59 on Friday 09 Aug 2024

Forecast Issued on Thursday 08 Aug 2024 at 02:32

Confidence: High confidence for a dull and wet day on Thursday and for a significant improvement on Friday. Low for Sunday and Monday.

Headline for Thursday 08 Aug 2024: Dull, wet and with very poor visibility on the hills.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 08 Aug 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
50%	40%	70%	80%	30%	30%

Forecast for Thursday 08 Aug 2024

Weather: Thick cloud will shroud the hills for much of the day along with long periods of rain or drizzle, these near constant at times. Heavy spells possible through the middle of the day. Feeling very humid.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: No chance.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud above 200-400m all day. Very hazy at low levels during rain and drizzle.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	15/20 S	17/24 S	16/22 SW	21/30 SW	23/34 SW	24/35 W	30/43 W
300	5/11 S	9/15 S	7/14 S	12/21 SW	12/23 SW	13/24 W	15/29 W
Valley	4/9 SE	8/14 S	5/12 S	11/23 SW	12/25 SW	12/25 W	14/29 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/8	12/9	13/10	14/10	14/10	13/9	11/6
300	12/12	14/12	14/14	16/14	16/15	15/13	13/10
Valley	13/13	14/13	15/15	17/15	18/16	16/15	14/11
Freezing Level*	2600m	2700m	3300m	3600m	3100m	2400m	2300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Low cloud and rain will make navigation on the hills very tricky away from marked paths.

Forecast for Friday 09 Aug 2024

Weather: Dry, bright and often sunny – a marked improvement compared to Thursday. Blustery. Thicker cloud and rain arriving late in the evening.

Maximum wind: West 20-25mph gusting 35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 95%

Low cloud and visibility: Very little, if any, low level cloud. Excellent visibility.

Temperature: **Valleys:** 12 Celsius rising to 19 Celsius.
At 700m: 9 Celsius rising to 14 Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above summits

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